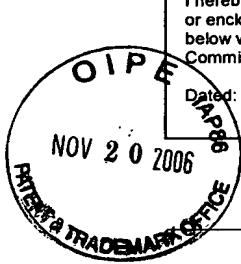
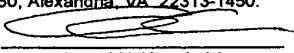


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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT
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Dear Sir:

In response to the official action dated October 20, 2006, in which claims 1-151 were held to be subject to a restriction and/or election requirement, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted.